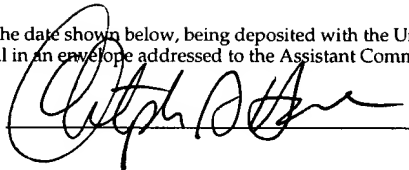


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), an extension of time of 4 month(s) to the Restriction Requirement, mailed on March 8, 1996, is respectfully requested in the above-identified application from April 8, 1996 to August 8, 1996. Applicant in the above-identified application is a small business entity as evidenced by the Small Entity Statement, as filed on July 28, 1994.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$735.00 to cover extension fees, as well as any other fees which may be associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 03-1184. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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